

Church Directory.

METHODIST.—Rev. P. A. Darby, Pastor. Services every Sunday morning at half-past 10 o'clock and at night at half-past 7 o'clock. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at half-past 8 o'clock. Sabbath School every Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Children's meeting every third Sunday.

PRISBYTERIAN.—Rev. J. A. D. Brown, Pastor. Services every Sunday morning at half-past 10 o'clock, and in the afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock. Prayer meeting every Thursday afternoon at half-past 8 o'clock. Sabbath School every Sunday morning at half-past 9 o'clock.

BAPTIST.—Rev. T. W. Mellichamp, Pastor. Services every third and fourth Sunday morning at half-past 10 o'clock and at night half-past 8 o'clock. Sabbath School every Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Sunday School Missionary Meeting every fourth Sunday.

LUTHERAN.—Rev. J. E. Kiser, Pastor. Services every Sunday morning at half-past 10 o'clock and at night at half-past 7 o'clock. Sabbath School every Sunday morning at half-past 8 o'clock.

EPISCOPAL.—Rev. J. C. Ogden, Pastor. Services, third Sunday in each month. Morning half-past 10 o'clock; afternoon half-past 4 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A.—Rooms on Russell-street. Open every evening during the week. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at half-past 7 and Sunday afternoons at 6 o'clock. Business meetings fourth Thursday in each month.

ORANGEBURG, S. C., MARCH 22, 1879.

Next Tuesday is the first day of April. Look out friends.

Several communications appear on the first page of this issue. Read them.

The average clerk now whittles on a dry goods box and discusses all sorts of questions.

Executor's sale April 1st at the late residence of J. Willis Cutler, deceased. See advertisement.

By actual count fifteen men in our town claim that they have the best garden. Mistake somewhere gentlemen.

Those in need of a good milch cow will do well to call on C. J. C. Edwards at Mr. Pike's store. See his advertisement in another column.

Encourage home industry by buying a number one article of violet ink from Mr. Kirk Robinson, who manufactures it right here in our town.

The Town Treasurer will open his books for the collection of the license tax on and after April 1st. Those interested will take due notice and act accordingly.

The young man who hires two hands to work his farm and then sits on the fence to "boss" the job is bound to fail. Pull off your coat and go to work, if you want to succeed.

This second of the series of the Dime Readings to be given by the Young Men's Christian Association will come off at Boliver's Hall this evening at 8 o'clock. We bespeak for the Association a crowded house.

The foolish man foldeth his hands and saith: "There is no trade, why should I advertise?" But the wise man is not so. He whoopeth it up in the newspapers, and verily he draweth customers from afar off.

The little girls have a nice time gathering the little daisies that peep so coyly from the ledges and sidewalks. A thousand recollections of the dear past come to the memory and we wish daisies would bloom always.

At the Haystack on Monday, Jenny Baltzer, of Hog Wallow, was brought up for cursing and bad conduct, and sentenced to two days in jail or pay a fine of two dollars. Of course the bird was caged. It is a pity this den could not be broken up. It, with a few other places, is a nuisance to the town.

Mr. Theodore Kohn left on Saturday last for New York, where he goes to purchase the spring stock for his store. Of course he will lay in a full and varied supply of every character of goods to suit the Orangeburg market, and our buyers may expect to get some rare bargains when they arrive.

We are requested to announce that in consequence of the absence of Rev. J. E. Kiser, the attendance upon the meeting of the Evangelical Lutheran Church at St. Nicholas, Barnwell County, there will be no service in the Orangeburg Lutheran Church on next Sunday.

The Camden Journal, of a recent date, says: "The edge of the Knights of Honor is in a most flourishing condition at this place. Many new candidates are received at each meeting. This Order seems to make friends rapidly wherever introduced. We have a young and flourishing lodge in our town, composed of good material."

The Sunday Times says: "It is hardly necessary to say that there can be absolutely no foundation for the statement that there was a woman in Barnwell with corn on her ear. The corn that goes to Barnwell goes down the throats of the men. It is not allowed the opportunity of reaching a woman's ear." Now, Brother Holmes, here is a chance for you to rise and explain about that corn.

A Lady's Missionary Society was organized at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Louisville Circuit, March 16, with nineteen members. The following officers were elected: Mrs. M. A. Pemberton, President; Mrs. M. K. Wannamaker, First Vice-President; Mrs. J. A. Bird, Second Vice-President; Miss Sallie J. Wannamaker, Recording Secretary; Mrs. J. E. Arthur, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. David Houser, Treasurer.

The Sunday School of the Methodist Church at this place was organized on Sunday, the 16th instant, as a Missionary Society for the support of foreign missions, with the following officers: Jas. L. Sims, President; Miss Susan Albergotti, Vice-President; Henry H. Brunson, Secretary; Miss Ollie Wannamaker, Treasurer. We congratulate the Society in its organization, and trust it may have a long and useful career as an adjunct of the church.

We are glad to meet our young friend, Mr. T. W. Collier, of St. Matthews, on his return from Baltimore. Mr. Collier has been a student of the Business College of Messrs. Bryant & Stratton, Baltimore, for the last six months, and, after graduating last week, returns to his home to work out the great problem of life to its end. We hope at the final settlement the balance sheet will be in favor of the credit side of the account.

We learn that Horse Range bridge in St. Matthews, and the bridges over the Four Holes Swamp, on the Five Notch road, have been put in complete repair by Commissioner Connor at no other expense to the county than the cost of the lumber used. This is a decided improvement upon the old and expensive way of keeping the bridges in order. We hope our Board of Commissioners will not weary in well doing until the county roads shall have been put in good order.

We are glad to meet Mr. A. R. Moore so often in town, indeed since the times that tried men's souls, when he performed such noble services in behalf of Orangeburg Democracy as a State Constable, he seems to be one of us. A true Democrat and a perfect gentleman, we again commend him and the Star Copper Lightning Roads he sells to the kind offices and patronage of the citizens of Orangeburg. We are glad of the success he is obtaining and the friendships he is forming among our people. Give him your orders and confidence.

See change in Mr. Joseph Eros' advertisement. He is a progressive merchant and is determined to succeed. To this end he offers every inducement to our citizens and makes every effort to meet the demands of his customers. His baking department is enlarged, and other features added, which enables him to operate upon the most improved plans. By hot weather his ice-cream arrangements will be perfected and our citizens will have the privilege of enjoying this rare summer luxury in neat and well fitted apartments. Give him a call.

On Saturday morning last Rias Felder, a prisoner in jail, took advantage of the opportunity offered by carrying out the slops to escape, jumped the fence and made his way to the nearest woods. Mr. Livingston, the jailer, was soon in pursuit with sufficient help and overhauled the fugitive a half mile from the jail, captured and brought him back, but not without resistance on the part of the prisoner, who drew his knife and showed signs of fight. A slight reminder brought the man to his senses and he quietly submitted to the authorities.

In pursuance of a notice given by Rev. O. A. Darby at the Methodist Church, a meeting of the ladies of the congregation was held at the parsonage on Tuesday evening, at four o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a Woman's Missionary Society. The following officers were elected to serve the ensuing year: Mrs. O. A. Darby, President; Mrs. S. E. Albergotti, First Vice-President; Mrs. A. F. Dantzer, Second Vice-President; Miss A. A. Albergotti, Recording Secretary; Miss R. S. Albergotti, Corresponding Secretary; Miss S. E. Dibble, Treasurer.

These garbolls the New Orleans Times: "It becomes our duty—and from duty we never shrink—to chronicle the fact that spring has arrived. Spring, with hien duster and smiling countenance, spring, with a flower in his button-hole and a grin on his face; has stepped down from the Pullman car of time and is in our midst once. Sweet, sweet, poetical spring!"

Friend Kortjohn and his polite assistants seem to take real genuine pleasure in pricing goods low down. It is hard for one to visit this place without buying something. He is pushing off tobacco at prices which puts it within the reach of every one. His auctions still go on Saturday morning and evening, where bargains are made.

We are reliably informed that three children of Dr. Kirk, a worthy citizen of St. John's Berkely, were bitten by a mad dog a few days ago—two of them in exposed places, one on the neck and the other on the hand. We trust these little ones will escape the serious and fatal consequences of this misfortune. Better every dog in the State be killed than for one person to die from hydrophobia.

"The Home Circle" is the name of a new venture in journalism by Mrs. M. E. Britton, editress and proprietress, at Charleston, S. C. It is a neat paper of four five column pages, and judging by the number before us we think its fair owner will publish a readable paper. Two dollars per annum is the subscription price. We take pleasure in placing the Home Circle on our exchange list, and wish it a long and prosperous career.

A full line of Dr. Price's Unique Perfumes, Colognes and Toilet Waters. These Perfumes have gained their popularity from their exquisite sweetness and permanency of odor. Any lady or gentleman who will give them a trial, will be convinced that no Perfumes, made in this or any other country, can compare with them. They are only to be used to be admired. For sale by Dr. J. G. Wannamaker.

Mr. N. S. Butler, a most estimable citizen of Branchville, died on Saturday last, leaving a large family and a host of friends to mourn his loss. His remains were brought up to this place on Sunday for interment which took place in the Presbyterian ground at four o'clock, after the funeral services were performed by Rev. O. A. Darby at the Methodist Church. Mr. Butler had numbered at the time of his death more than seventy years of an active business life, and leaves behind a record full of examples worthy the imitation of those who live after him.

On the 13th instant County Commissioner Connor saw a fox in the State Road near Providence bridge, cutting some strange and rather wild antics, and on approaching the animal within a few paces, it ran around the buggy biting at its tail all the while without seeming to be alarmed and only followed the instinct of its nature in running, away after Mr. Connor had driven on. A turpentine hand of the neighborhood found the fox a few days afterward in the woods cutting the same antics and killed it with a club. This is the first instance of a mad fox of which we have heard since hydrophobia has been raging.

The first mosquito of the season, says an exchange, has made his appearance. He was dressed in a standing collar and djekey, flap trousers and gray ulster, complained of a bad cold, and couldn't sing well on a high register. Sat on the bureau awhile and picked his teeth with a straw out of the wispbroom. Then whistled "Grandfather's Clock," keeping time with his hind leg. Buzzed around for a while and remarked that the weather was moderating. Then mozeved over the washstand, criticised the soap, wondered where the carbolic acid was. Waited for half an hour, and then settled down to business.

The Town Council met on the evening of the 26th instant for the purpose of adopting a tax ordinance for the fiscal year ending April 1st, 1880. The tax on real estate was fixed at 4 mills on the dollar, and the license tax about the same as last year. The Street Committee was instructed by a unanimous resolution to place stringers on the sidewalks of Russell-street wherever needed, and report the cost to the treasurer, who was instructed to add said cost to the taxes (proportionately) of each citizen. No doubt Council will allow the citizens to furnish their own stringers, provided they are of such dimensions as the Street Committee may approve.

The attention of our readers is directed to the change in the advertisement of Mr. J. C. Lathrop in this issue. Every preparation is being made to supply the wants of the numerous customers of this enterprising horse. New goods of the best quality and the most fashionable styles are received weekly and will be sold as low as can be purchased elsewhere. Polite and competent salesmen are in waiting to attend upon the wants of purchasers and every effort will be made to give full satisfaction to any one who may favor the house with a call. Read the advertisement in another column.

Our enterprising citizen and druggist, Dr. A. C. Dukes, is preparing to replace the two stores now occupied by himself and Mr. DeMars with a fine brick building. This is an improvement in this quarter of our town that is greatly needed and when completed will add not only to the appearance of the neighborhood, but will increase the trade and lower the rate of insurance. The present crowded condition of the wooden buildings in this locality is exceedingly dangerous and hazardous to property. Yet it has been singularly exempted from fires whilst other localities have been visited by the fire, flend time after time.

We call the attention of our readers to the communication on our first page signed "Subscriber," who complains that our article, published a few weeks ago, in reference to the South Carolina Rail Road, did an injustice to the employees of said road. Perhaps it did, and we are sorry for it, but really the fault was not ours. We only published what we heard to be the case. We have a very high respect for the employees of the road, whom we know to be honorable men, but we still insist that some of them "cuss" too much.

So far as we know those connected with the road in our town are efficient and accommodating, and our article had no reference to them whatever. "Subscriber" justly says that rail road men are as temperate as the newspaper fraternity. We have not a word to say in defence of the newspaper men, as we regret to be compelled to admit that there is too much truth in what "Subscriber" says, but we beg to remind him that two wrongs never make a right. We make this correction cheerfully.

A meeting of the Orangeburg Court House Democratic Club was held on Tuesday evening last as announced in our last issue. The President, J. W. Mosler, Esq., stated that the object of the meeting was to adopt some plan by which funds might be raised to defray the expenses of our citizens who are held for trial before the United States District Court on the charge of violating the election laws, and appealed to the members of the Club to do their whole duty in the premises. M. I. Browning, Esq., County Chairman, made an eloquent speech in behalf of the object and appealed earnestly to the party to stand by these gentlemen, whose misfortune it is to be selected as targets for political shafts and Radical hatred. It was decided to appoint a committee whose duty it shall be to wait upon the citizens to obtain contribution for this laudable purpose. It is supposed the expenses of the prisoners and witnesses will amount to not more than \$500, as the lawyers defending the cases make no charge for their services. It is hoped that the committee will find no difficulty in collecting to the amount. If every Democrat in the county will contribute, the burden will be light and each one will enjoy the satisfaction of having done his duty in the support of a cause that has for its object not only the defence of innocent citizens but the defence of the dignity and the honor of his party.

The petition of Major Watson A. O'Callaghan for appointment as Trial Justice, which was referred by the Governor to the Executive Committee for endorsement, and by that committee to the clubs, was, after discussion, refused the endorsement of the club. The appointment of Julius Glover, Esq., who has been in the discharge of the duties of the office of Trial Justice for some time was ratified by the club. No office in the gift of the Executive is of more importance to the people of the county than that of Trial Justice, and we hope the appointees will be men fully qualified to discharge the duties of their trust acceptably to the people.

Any person who will get us up a Club of Ten Cash Subscribers at 1.50 per annum will receive THE DEMOCRAT one year free. Go to work at once, and secure your Club. We know you can do it if you but half try. Send to this office for specimen copies, which will be furnished on application.

St. Matthews' Dots.
Several weeks have elapsed since the appearance of "St. Matthews' Dots" in your columns, owing partly, I suppose, to the inexperience of your correspondent in adding a little to every actual occurrence, (which by the way, of course he would not do,) and partly to the extreme dullness of our town.

We still have among us a few of the animals (as Rostin calls them) Bachelors, who look a little forlorn and heartick; and really I sympathize with them, for you know when the school boy was told to write a composition on girls, he said they were like cats, if you rubbed them down they were all right, but rub them the wrong way and they would spit at you; so I think our old friends must have rubbed the wrong way. Well, old boys, all we can say is, that you try again and be sure you rub the right way.

Farmers have been busy of late hauling phosphates, and judging from the increased demand for guanos, I think there will be as much if not more used in this section than in previous years.

Trial Justice F. J. Baych has been kept unusually busy this week with sundry cases.

There is a rumor that a picnic will take place shortly, which I feel satisfied will gladden the hearts of our bachelor friends.

Market Report.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. C. PACE.
COTTON: 9 @ 9 1/4
Low Middling 8 3/4 @ 9
Ordinary to Good 8 @ 8 1/2
COUNTRY PRODUCE:
Corn 65
Rice 40
Peas, rough 81 1/2
Flour 75
Potatoes, sweet 50
Butter, country 25
Eggs 20
Poultry 15 @ 20

Contract Work!
I respectfully inform my friends and the public that I am prepared to contract to do Carpenter's Work of any kind cheaper than other contractors in Orangeburg County. Work solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed.
March 7-3mos. J. H. TUCKER.

Notice
I hereby given that after the first Monday in March, I will be in my office every Monday and Tuesday in each month in stead of Friday and Saturday until further notice.
D. L. CONNOR,
SCHOOL COMMISSIONER,
Orangeburg County.

W. J. MERONEY,
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DYER AND SCOURER,
No. 31 Wentworth street, near the Old Artisan Well.
CHARLESTON, S. C.
Gents Coats Vests and Pants nicely Cleaned, Dyed and Pressed. Faded and Moulded Clothing Renewed with the greatest dispatch.

W. P. CAIN
St. Matthews S. C.

DEALER IN DRY GOODS, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS CAPS &c.
I buy my goods from first hands and sell them at Charleston prices.
Highest CASH price paid for cotton and country produce.
Full and General Stock always on hand.

W. P. CAIN,
St. Matthews.

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SEEDWHEAT

White, Amber and Fultz.
SEED RYE.

SEED BARLEY.

SEED OATS,
RUST PROOF WHITE AND

Grass Seed, Clover Seed.
SOMETHING NEW!
RUST PROOF SEED WHEAT.
Warranted Rust Proof or Money Refunded.
—FOR SALE BY—
LORICK & LOWRANCE,
Oct. 43mo COLUMBIA S. C.

KNOWLTON & LATHROP,
Attorneys and Counsellors,
ORANGEBURG, S. C.
Dec-43-44

SAMUEL DIBBLE,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law
(Cor. Church & St. Paul's Street.)
ORANGEBURG, S. C.
Dec 13-14

SHERIDAN'S SCHOOL.
A CLASSICAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

HUGO G. SHERIDAN.....Principal.
MISS E. J. MACKAY.....Assistant.

This School opens on the First Monday in September annually, and continues uninterruptedly until the first of June.

TERMS PER MONTH:
First Grade, beginners.....\$2.00
Second Grade, Grammar pupils.....2.50
Third Grade, advanced English.....3.00
Latin and Greek, extra.....50

COURSE OF STUDY:
First Grade.—Alphabet, Spelling, Rudimentary Arithmetic, Writing and First Steps in Geography.
Second Grade.—Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Second Steps in Geography, Grammar, Written Composition, Latin and Greek.
Third Grade.—Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, completed, Geography completed, Grammar completed, Composition, History, Philosophy, Rhetoric, Logic, Book-keeping, Algebra, Geometry, Chemistry, Latin, Greek and Written Composition.

Education is taught in each grade. Miss Mackay has charge of the girls. Students may enter at any time during the term, and are charged only from date of entrance.

Boys and girls are prepared for the Sophomore Class in any College or for a successful business life.

Scarceness of persons polite manners and a high sense of honor are considered of no less importance than the branches taught, and are therefore inculcated with unremitting assiduity.

Boys may be had in good families near the school at ten and twelve dollars per month, including washing and lights.

Boys and girls are kept separate and no intercourse allowed.

A liberal share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

DON'T READ THIS!!
THE "California Store" now in the McMaster brick building, though only six months in this town, has made hosts of customers and friends. It has succeeded in its business beyond expectation. The cause is selling its goods at such low prices, and a carefully selected stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Hats, and a complete stock of staple and fancy Groceries, cheaper than any other Establishment. It is a "CASH STORE."

If politeness, courtesy and a fine stock has any hold on our community, the "California Store" of SORENTINE & LORRYEA will become one of the leading establishments of the town of Orangeburg. Call at this store and see stock and prices; they will be pleased to show goods.

INTERESTING DETAILS.
ORANGEBURG, S. C., Feb. 21.

GRANITEVILLE C. Homepun
5 cents per yard.

Best Calico 5 to 62-4 cents per yd.
Cont's Spool Cotton 5 cents per spool.

Ladies & Gents Shoes 75cts to \$1.25 pr.

Gents Hand Made Gaiters \$4.50.

Choice Coffee 8 lbs. for \$1.00.

Best Sugar 12 to 13 lbs. for \$1.00.

Soda 3 lbs. for 25 cents.

Good Family Flour \$5.00 per barrel.

Best (Baker's Jewel) \$6.50 "

Tobacco 40 to 50 cents per pound.

Double length Cigars 2-1-2 cents each.

Plows, Hoes, Hatchets, Axes.

Hardware, Tinware, and every other.

Article kept in a first class store at prices too low to publish.
Also Whiskeys, Brandys, Wines Ales etc., etc., of the best and purest makes at prices to suit the times.
Come and see before you buy, No matter what you are offered goods at, you shall not regret your call.
Yours truly
D. F. SMOAK & CO.

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Dry Goods

CHOICE SPRING CALICOS

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Also a large lot of

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Which were bought Cheap, being the best value and the cheapest ever exhibited.

A fine large assortment of

of every description also just received from the manufacturers very cheap.

Full lines of everything else in the Dry Goods line are being daily received for Spring and Summer wear.

The Light Running

DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE

and Needles for all Sewing Machines always on hand and for sale cheap.

Agent for Madame Demorest's

RELIABLE PATTERNS.

Call and convince yourselves at the

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PRICES CURRENT

From

D. W. MUSTARD.

Dealer in Country Produce.

675 KING STREET,

CHARLESTON.

POWERS, grown per doz. 2.50 @ 0.00

Medium per doz. 0.00 @ 0.00

Chickens, per doz. 1.75 @ 2.00

Ducks (Eng.) per doz. 3.00 @ 4.00

Ducks (M'Coy) per doz. 5.00 @ 6.00

Geese per doz. 6.00 @ 8.00

Turkeys per doz. 8.00 @ 12.00

EGGS, per doz. 1.00 @ 1.50

PEANUTS, per bushel 10.00 @ 0.00

PEAS, clay, per bushel 3.00 @ 0.00

Mixed 5.00 @ 0.00

RICE, (rough) per bushel 1.00 @ 1.25

HIDES, Flint, per lb. 10 @ 0.00

Dry Salted, 1.00 @ 0.00

SKINS, Otter, apiece 1.00 @ 2.25

Goat, # to 5.50 @ 10

Fox, # to 10 @ 25

Deer, per lb. 15 @ 0.00

Goat, # to 8 @ 0.00

BEESWAX, per lb. 22 @ 0.00

Highest market prices obtained for all goods consigned to this store, and promptly. Consignments solicited.

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At the People's Bakery.

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Who is still ready and willing to

FILL ORDERS

BREAD, ROLLS, PIES

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CAKES

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BREAD FOR CAMP MEETINGS